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### PARCEL POST TO GERMANY NOW IS RESUMED BY U. S.

#### Ban Placed on Service at Beginning of European War Has Been Removed

Residents of Honolulu who desire to forward Christmas presents to friends or relatives in Germany, or local firms which have goods for shipment to the warring nations may now do so through the parcel post, according to an announcement made at the local postoffice this morning. The parcel post service from the United States to Germany, Austria and Hungary was abandoned temporarily shortly after the outbreak of the war, but now has been resumed by the Postal Union.

The notice received at the local postoffice from the postoffice department in Washington, D. C., is, in part, as follows:

"Arrangements have been made for the resumption of the despatch of par-

### CHRISTMAS SHIP, THE MATSONIA, LEAVES FOR COAST WEDNESDAY A. M.

One hundred and thirty passengers booked for the mainland in the Matson Navigation liner Matsonia, to steam for San Francisco at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Through the agency of Castle & Cooke this vessel will carry a large shipment of island products, including sugar received at Hilo and Honolulu. Consignments of preserved and fresh pineapples and bananas will be added to the list of outgoing cargo. A party numbering about fifty persons, among whom are members of the National and American baseball teams, will return to the coast in the Matsonia. The vessel will be despatched from pier 15.

Parcel post mails from the United States to Germany, Austria and Hungary. Until further notice, therefore, parcel post packages which conform with the prescribed conditions should be accepted for mailing to the said countries.

Among the foreign countries to which parcel post matter may not be shipped until further notice from the postoffice department are Belgium, Turkey and the northern and north-eastern parts of France.

A great wolf roundup, one of the first to be held in northern Wisconsin, is planned.

### GUARD INDOOR BALL SERIES TO OPEN TUESDAY

#### Handsome Silver Cup Offered by Wall and Dougherty for Winner of Race

The pennant race of the National Guard Indoor Baseball League opens tomorrow night, with Company H, the Chinese-American organization, in action against the Hospital Corps. The game will be called at 8 o'clock. No admission will be charged to the games of this series.

Seven companies and the Hospital Corps have entered teams, and a keen race is in prospect. Wall & Dougherty have offered a splendid silver cup for the winner of the series, and the announcement of this trophy has greatly stimulated interest in the race, as every company is anxious to add to its cup collection.

The schedule has been so fixed by Lieut. P. M. Smoot, regimental athletic officer, that the companies which drill on the same nights meet in the opening games. It is planned to call off drill for the first game for each company, and therefore the games this week will start at 8 p. m. Thereafter they will be called at 8:45 to allow the use of the floor for the regular military purposes up to that hour.

Following is the complete schedule, the letter X representing the Hospital Corps:

December, 1914.  
Tuesday, 15—H & X.  
Wednesday, 16—B & D.  
Thursday, 17—A & G.  
Friday, 18—C & F.  
Sunday, 19—X & B.  
Monday, 21—D & H.  
Tuesday, 22—A & F.  
Saturday, 26—C & G.  
Monday, 28—X & F.  
Tuesday, 29—B & A.  
Wednesday, 30—H & G.  
Saturday, 2—C & D.  
January, 1915.  
Monday, 4—C & F.  
Tuesday, 5—A & G.  
Wednesday, 7—X & D.  
Thursday, 8—H & B.  
Tuesday, 12—D & G.  
Wednesday, 13—H & F.  
Thursday, 14—B & C.  
Friday, 15—A & X.  
Monday, 18—A & H.  
Wednesday, 20—C & X.  
Thursday, 21—D & F.  
Friday, 22—B & G.  
Monday, 25—C & X.  
Tuesday, 26—A & D.  
Thursday, 28—H & F.  
Friday, 29—C & H.

### POSTMASTER HAS HOUSE CLEANING PLANS IN SIGHT

"If We Can't Have New Building We Will Clean Old One."  
Says W. F. Young

"If we can't have a new postoffice building then we are going to try and make the present old building look as clean and neat as possible."

The foregoing statement, made this morning by Postmaster W. F. Young, gives evidence that within a very short time the officials and employees of the local postoffice are going to commence to "clean house." Some time ago Mr. Young told the Star-Bulletin that the sanitary features of the present postoffice building were poor, and at that time he stated he would ask the department at Washington, D. C., for an appropriation to remedy the present conditions.

This morning's mail brought to Postmaster Young the department's permission to go ahead with his proposed "cleaning," and in company with the permission was the notification of an additional appropriation of \$25 a month for further janitor service.

"This \$25 more a month means that this office is going to undergo thorough scrubbing and the intervals between the scrubbing will be short," said the postmaster.

Not only is the condition of the office to be improved from a sanitary standpoint, the postmaster further pointed out, but the inside of the building is to be freshly calcimined and the interior and exterior of the structure clothed in a new coat of paint. Also, the floors of the offices of the postmaster, the postal inspector, the assistant superintendent of the railway mail service and the dead letter office are to be equipped with new linoleum. All this work will be done early in the new year.

### MYSTERY COVERS PURPORTED RAID BY U. S. MARSHAL

#### Smiddy Said to Have Taken Two Women Into Custody in Opium Den Last Night

According to a statement made this morning in the federal court circles, United States Marshal J. J. Smiddy and his deputies last night made the third of a series of opium raids commenced four days ago, at which time a white woman and a Hawaiian woman were taken into custody.

Whether such a raid was made, however, remains a matter of mystery, as far as the district attorney's office and the marshal's office is concerned. When asked concerning the purport-

ed raid, one of the deputy marshals said that no such action had been taken. The district attorney and his assistant stated that they knew of no raid, and that they did not issue any complaints. Marshal Smiddy stated that he had "nothing for publication."

Pursuant to two raids which have been made by federal officials on opium dens during the past two days, information has come to the attention of the marshal's office and the district attorney's office, it was stated Saturday, to the effect that there are a number of opium dens in existence in Kakaako which are frequented not only by Chinese but by soldiers and, in some instances, by girls.

Coming as it does from an authentic source, according to federal officials, this information may serve to clear up a mystery of long standing as to the location of certain opium dens which it is said have been known to be in existence, but which could not be ferreted out. It is stated that the informers have failed to get a line as to their whereabouts.

The federal officials, it is claimed, now believe that they have sufficient evidence to warrant a thorough investigation. It is now evident that opium matters will play an important

part in the efforts of the district attorney's office for some time to come. Another statement has been made to the effect that opium dens now are in existence in all parts of Honolulu, even in the busiest sections of the Oriental district. The claim is made that these districts.

Assistant District Attorney J. W. Thompson had very little comment to make on the opium situation today, stating, however, that the district attorney's office will make investigations when it can get the necessary information warranting such an action.

### GERMANS INSIST ON THAT TEN MILLION FROM ANTWERP

(By Latest Mail)  
AMSTERDAM, Holland, via London.—The "Handelsblad" learns that the Germans are still insisting that Antwerp pay a war levy of £2,000,000 (\$10,000,000) and that Deputy Burgomaster Franck has refused until he is assured that the Germans will make no more requisitions for supplies. The situation has reached a deadlock and is strained, and it is feared that M. Franck may suffer the same fate as

### RED CROSS SOCIETY IN GERMANY PLANS INCREASED ACTION

(By Latest Mail)  
BERLIN, Germany.—The central committee of the German Red Cross Society has decided to add three more departments to the already lengthy list of its many activities.

The first is a department for the care of prisoners of war, which will concern itself with the transmission of correspondence and so forth between German prisoners abroad and their families, and will undertake the same service for prisoners of war in Germany.

The second department will take over the supervision of those released from the military hospitals. The third will provide an employment bureau for soldiers discharged as incapable of further military service, with a view to finding them suitable and remunerative employment.

Burgomaster Max of Brussels, who because of the non-payment of the Brussels indemnity was taken a prisoner to Germany.

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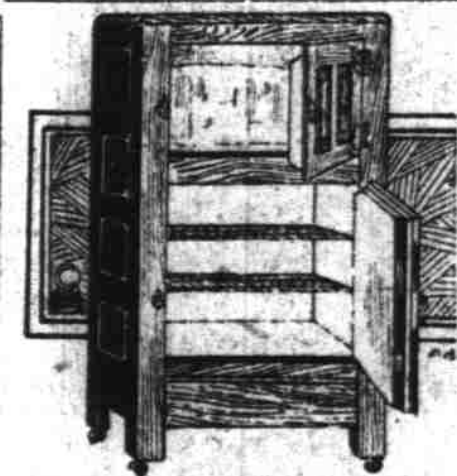
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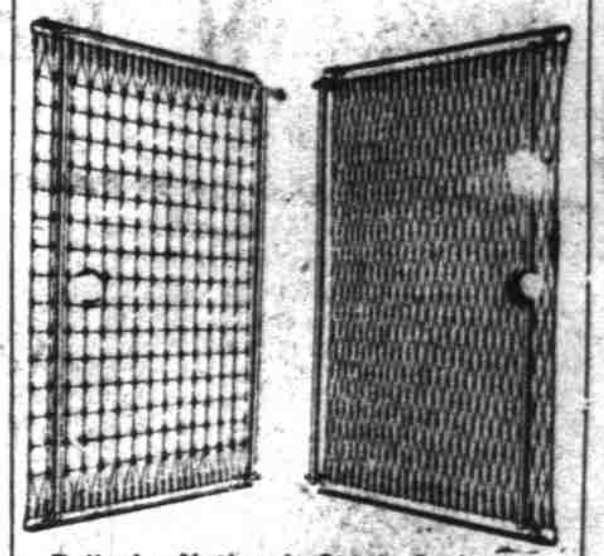


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